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In re Application of:

BRIAN ANDERSON ET AL.

Application No.: 09/416,924

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Title: FLEXIBLE REPORTING OF CUSTOMER

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Examiner: S. GRAVINI

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97-1.98, Applicants would like to call the Examiner's attention to the references listed on the enclosed form PTO-1449. Copies of these references are also enclosed.

Applicants believe that none of the listed references, alone or in combination disclose or suggest Applicant's claimed invention.

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Respectfully submitted,

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### REFERENCE DESIGNATION

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## **FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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